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Draft decision submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations

The General Assembly, having considered the reports of the Secretary-General[1] and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions:[2]

(a) Takes note of the report of the Secretary-General on the final disposition of the assets of the United Nations Peace Forces[3] and requests the Board of Auditors to examine the report in the light of the views expressed by Member States thereon;[4]

[(b) Expresses its serious concern regarding the observation of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions in paragraph 6 of its report[5] regarding the use of gratis personnel as negotiators for the United Nations for wet-lease arrangements;]

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[1] A/52/792 and A/52/815.

[2] A/52/868.

[3] A/52/792.

[4] See A/C.5/52/SR.63.

[5] A/52/868.

(c) Decides that in future detailed information and justification on written off and lost items should be provided in reports on the final disposition of assets of all peacekeeping operations;

(d) Decides also to defer consideration of the treatment of the unencumbered balance arising in respect of the period from 1 July 1996 to 30 June 1997 pending the submission of the final performance report for the United Nations Peace Forces.